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In application of

Hiroaki ONISHI et al.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

The PTO's attention is directed to an apparent typographical error in the "*Notice of Allowability*", i.e. the indicating that claims 2-10 and 12-25 are allowed. The allowed claims should be claims 2-3, 5-10 and 12-25, since claim 4 was cancelled from the application in the response filed February 2, 2004.

Therefore, it is respectfully submitted that all PTO records be corrected to indicate that the allowable claims in this application are claims 2-3, 5-10 and 12-25.

Respectfully submitted,

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